

## Carl Vinson / CVW-9 Sailor of the Day IT3(SW) Tyler Breidenbach



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IT3(SW) Tyler Breidenbach, a network administrator for the "Gold Eagle" ADP shop, is a man who loves his line of work -- and his enthusiasm shows through in his job performance.

"I got into this rate because I enjoy learning about and working with computers," said Breidenbach. "I figured if I'm going to make a career in the Navy, it may as well be doing something I enjoy."

Since joining the Gold Eagle team in December, IT3 has made a noticeable impact on his team.

"He consistently displays profound initiative, resourcefulness and superb technical ability in providing network support to over 5000 personnel," said IT1(SW/AW) Lee Peters.

Breidenbach, a native of Forks, Wash., plans on serving for 20 years.

"I'm working on a degree in business administration," said Breidenbach. "When I hit my ten or eleven year mark I plan to apply for an officer program."

Today's Sailor of the Day said the greatest misconception about his job is the idea that every job can be fixed right on the spot.

"A lot of the job we do are very complicated and they take some time to work out," he said.

Breidenbach said the best way to get ahead is to learn from everyone around you, because everybody has a different specialty.

IT3(SW) Tyler Breidenbach, a network administrator for the Gold Eagle's ADP shop, troubleshoots exchange server. His diligence on this equipment ensures the crew's ability to communicate through email.





Breidenbach connects one of the Gold Eagle's many computers to the ship's network.



Breidenbach organizes the server's backup tapes.

